

## **Term 2 Overview. 5<sup>th</sup> November to 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018**

### **Week :1 5<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> November: Celebrations of Light**

Bonfire night (history of Gunpowder plot) – family celebrations. Firework paintings.  
Learning about Remembrance Sunday. Related poppy art.

Literacy: Writing Diwali Card

Phonics: Revisit sets 1 -3 of Phase 2

Maths: Shape Rockets – 2D and 3D shapes (naming and describing properties of shapes)

### **Week 2 12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> November: Exploring Light Sources**

Exploring light sources. How does the moon give light?

Exploring shadows; drawing around shadows. What are shadows? How are they made?

'Goodnight, Goodnight' art – light and dark pictures. Colour mixing – making lighter and darker shades

Literacy: Talk for Writing; 'Owl Babies' (Imitation)

Phonics: ck, e, u,r. keywords and handwriting.

Maths: Exploring numbers to 10. Sharing sets of numbers in different ways.

### **Week 3 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> November: Our Senses**

Exploring our senses – feely boxes etc

Healthy food – What foods keep us healthy in winter?

Starry Night Pictures - Van Gogh

Literacy: Talk for Writing; Owl Babies (Innovation)

Phonics: h,b,f,l. keywords and handwriting.

Maths: Exploring numbers to 10. Sharing sets of numbers in different ways.

Finding one more and one less of a number up to 10.

### **Week 4 26<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> November: Nocturnal Animals**

Clay Owls/ hedgehogs

Literacy: Talk for Writing; Owl Babies (Invention)

Phonics: ff,ll,ss keywords and handwriting.

Maths: Ordering and measuring: estimate, measure, weigh, compare and order (owl babies).

### **Week 5 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> December: Road Safety**

People who work at night – What do we do in the day and night –

Be Safe Be Seen – reflective objects – external visitor. Making reflective decorations.

Literacy: Writing lists and letters to Father Christmas.

Phonics: Revisit and assess

Maths: Clock times/ times of the day – o'clock and half past. Sequencing our day. Ordinal numbers.

### **Week 6 10<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas**

Christmas Cards and decorations: Santa Stars, Party hats, sock snowmen.

Literacy: Christmas cards – writing greetings inside.

Phonics: Phonics: Revisit and assess

Maths: Cooking Volume, capacity, weight and measure.

### **Week 7 17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> December**

Christmas week: parties, Christmas Performance, RE Christmas Story and Christmas traditions.

Literacy and Maths activities based around our Christmas preparations.